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* ARIZONA PURCHASING MONTH *

[M09-64]

WHEREAS, the purchasing and materials management profession plays a significant role in the quality, efficiency, profitability and productivity of business and government throughout the United States; and

WHEREAS, the purchasing and materials management profession works for public, private and non-profit organizations; and

WHEREAS, in addition to the purchase of goods and services, the purchasing and materials management profession engages in, and/or has direct responsibility for, functions such as the following: executing, implementing and administering contracts, developing forecasts and procurement strategies, supervising and/or monitoring the flow and storage of materials, and developing working relationships with suppliers and other departments within organizations; and

WHEREAS, the purchasing and materials management profession has tremendous influence on the economic condition of the United States, with an accumulative purchasing power running into the billions of dollars; and

WHEREAS, purchasing or procurement operations range from one person departments to several thousand; and

WHEREAS, the Arizona State Capitol Chapter of the National Institute of Governmental Purchasing (NIGP) and other associations around the globe are holding activities and special events to further educate and inform the general public on the role of purchasing within business, industry and government;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim March 2009 as

* ARIZONA PURCHASING MONTH *

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

Janice K. Brewer GOVERNOR

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this twentieth day of February in the year Two Thousand and Nine and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-third.

ATTEST: Ken Bennett Secretary of State

* SENIOR VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION AND RECOGNITION DAY *

[M09-65]

WHEREAS, volunteers encourage a sustained commitment to civic participation and inspire others to make volunteering a central part of their lives; and

WHEREAS, volunteers, 55 years of age and over, are one of the most valuable resources in the great State of Arizona; and

WHEREAS, seniors who volunteer have limitless opportunities to broaden life experiences and touch the lives of others by making a difference in the community; and

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WHEREAS, seniors who volunteer are healthier, feel a greater sense of purpose, and have higher self esteem; and

WHEREAS, senior volunteers bring a diversity of interests and a uniformity of dedication to community service projects that can change lives; and

WHEREAS, now more than ever, senior volunteers are renewing their commitment to helping others and making new connections that bring us closer together as families, as neighbors, as communities, and as a Nation;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim March 5, 2009 as

* SENIOR VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION AND RECOGNITION DAY *

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

Janice K. Brewer GOVERNOR

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this twentieth day of February in the year Two Thousand and Nine and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-third.

ATTEST: Ken Bennett Secretary of State

* WOMEN IN CONSTRUCTION WEEK *

[M09-66]

WHEREAS, the Greater Phoenix Chapter and the Tucson Chapter of the National Association of Women in Construction have distinguished themselves for years as the voice of women in construction in Arizona; and

WHEREAS, the work done by these Chapters has benefited all of Arizona through community development and educational programs; and

WHEREAS, the Arizona Chapters have sought to achieve successful results for Arizona in a cooperative spirit with other organizations;

WHEREAS, the Arizona Chapters have unceasingly promoted the employment and advancement of women in the construction industry; and

WHEREAS, the Arizona Chapters have been a driving force in fostering community development through renovation and beautification projects, promotion of skilled trades careers, and a positive vision for the future; and

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim March 1-7, 2009 as

* WOMEN IN CONSTRUCTION WEEK *

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

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* AMERICAN INDIAN DISABILITIES AWARENESS DAY *

[M09-76]

WHEREAS, individuals from all backgrounds and cultures including American Indians are affected by developmental disabilities and the need for rehabilitation services; and

WHEREAS, the State of Arizona resolves to support opportunities for individuals with disabilities to function independently and productively; and

WHEREAS, these opportunities include the ability to vote, to volunteer, to work, and to engage in fulfilling lives, meaningful relationships, and rewarding careers; and

WHEREAS, I encourage all Arizonans to support and aid the critical efforts to help improve the opportunities and resources for those living with disabilities, so that they may freely strive to realize their full potential without fear of physical limitations;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim March 18, 2009 as

* AMERICAN INDIAN DISABILITIES AWARENESS DAY *

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

Janice K. Brewer GOVERNOR

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this twenty-third day of February in the year Two Thousand and Nine and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-third.

ATTEST: Ken Bennett Secretary of State

* AVIATION WEEK *

[M09-72]

WHEREAS, Arizona is rich in aeronautical history with Luke Air Force Base being the home of the fighter pilot since 1941 and MCAS Yuma established January 1, 1959. When the United States entered World War II, Luke became the largest fighter training base in the Air Corps, and the facility at Yuma was one of the busiest flying schools in the nation; and

WHEREAS, Luke AFB has trained more than 55,745 pilots since 1941 and sent them to fight for our nation in World War II, Korea, Vietnam, the Persian Gulf, Afghanistan and Iraq; and currently trains the world's greatest F-16 fighter pilots and maintainers; and

WHEREAS, MCAS Yuma has protected our nation's skies for over 50 years, with over 40,000 aircraft, 600,000 personnel and having performed over 12,000,000 operations; and

WHEREAS, The MCAS Yuma open house/air show on March 14th and the Luke AFB open house/air show on March 21-22 continue a tradition that has educated and entertained almost 3 million spectators on military aviation and the mission of the Air Force and Marine Corps over the past 47 years; and

WHEREAS, Aviation is a key economic factor in Arizona's vitality important as both an economic engine and as a transportation resource connecting Arizona to the international market while contributing to formidable job and fiscal growth within the State, and Luke Air Force Base and MCAS Yuma contributing over \$2.5 billion to the state yearly in direct, indirect and induced economic impact; and

WHEREAS, Military Aviation in Arizona is a critical component of the state's transportation network and an essential part of our daily lives; and it is fitting to designate an official week whereby the efforts of all aviators, aviation professionals and the greatest historical strides accomplished by the Military and civilians will be so presented and properly recognized;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim March 14-21, 2009 as

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* AVIATION WEEK *

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

Janice K. Brewer GOVERNOR

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ATTEST: Ken Bennett Secretary of State

* SAFE PLACE WEEK *

[M09-77]

WHEREAS, today's youth need a safety net of protection from experiences of child abuse, poverty, crime, substance abuse, violence and homelessness, as well as resources readily available to help them when faced with situations that threaten their safety; and

WHEREAS, one out of seven young people will run away before their eighteenth birthday; and

WHEREAS, 21,380 students experienced homelessness in Arizona between July 2007 and June 2008; and

WHEREAS, Safe Place Programs offer immediate help to Arizona's youth in crisis through a network of sites among non-profit organizations and the private sector;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim March 15-21, 2009 as

* SAFE PLACE WEEK *

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

Janice K. Brewer GOVERNOR

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ATTEST: Ken Bennett Secretary of State